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THIS IS A RESPONSE TO A NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF AN APPLICATION

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

Re: Inventor:

Pierre-Albert BRETON

Serial No:

09/851,133

Filed:

May 9, 2001

For:

METHOD AND DEVICE FOR VOICE RECOGNITION IN ENVIRONMENTS WITH FLUCTUATING NOISE LEVELS

SIR:

Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

Request for Extension of Time (1 Month)

Notice to File Missing Parts

Filing of Declaration/Declaration

Letter to the Official Draftsman/Substitute Formal Drawings (7 Sheets)

Our check in the amount of \$110.00 is attached covering any required fees. In the event that any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the Patent Office charges for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under 37 CFR 1.136 for any necessary Extension of Time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, please charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account No. 15-0030. Further, if these papers are not considered timely filed, then a petition is hereby made under 37 CFR 1.136 for the necessary extension of time. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully Submitted,

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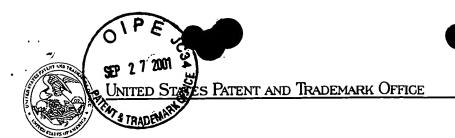
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filling a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

The oath or declaration is missing.
 A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - Drawings must be reasonably free from erasures and must be free from alterations, overwritings, interlineations, folds, and copy marks.

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.

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PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE

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FILING OF DECLARATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(f)

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

SIR:

Responsive to the notification dated July 6, 2001, and in accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR 1.53(f), Applicant submits herewith a Rule 63 Declaration.

The required fee was paid at the time of filing the application.

In light of the foregoing, this application is deemed to be in proper condition for examination and such favorable action is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully Submitted,

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LETTER TO THE OFFICIAL DRAFTSMAN

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SIR:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application, attached hereto please find _7_ sheets of Substitute Formal Drawings. It is requested that the enclosed _7_ sheets of Substitute Formal Drawings be entered to replace the drawings previously filed in this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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